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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No.

tesa AG 1511-WCG

First Inventor

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Title

ADHESIVE SHEET STRIP

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
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2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
 See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages **11**]  
 (preferred arrangement set forth below)

- Descriptive title of the invention  
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications  
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table,  
 or a computer program listing appendix  
 - Background of the Invention  
 - Brief Summary of the Invention  
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
 - Detailed Description  
 - Claim(s)  
 - Abstract of the Disclosure

4. ☐ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets **2**]

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- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
 (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

- i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**

Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)  
 named in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)

6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or  
 Computer Program (Appendix)

8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
 (if applicable, all necessary)

- a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)

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- i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or

- ii. ☐ paper

- c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney  
 (when there is an assignee)

11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)

12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations

13. ☒ Preliminary Amendment

14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
 (Should be specifically itemized)

15. ☒ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
 (if foreign priority is claimed)

16. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122  
 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35  
 or its equivalent.

17. ☒ Other: Appendix

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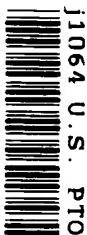
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Application Number	To Be Assigned
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First Named Inventor	Achim FRANCK
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## FEE CALCULATION

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101 740	201 370	Utility filing fee	740.00
106 330	206 165	Design filing fee	
107 510	207 255	Plant filing fee	
108 740	208 370	Reissue filing fee	
114 160	214 80	Provisional filing fee	
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Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
10	20** = 0	18.00 =	0.00
Independent Claims	1 - 3** = 0	84.00 =	0.00
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### Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20	
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

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105 130	205 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127 50	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139 130	139 130	Non - English specification	
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month	
116 400	216 200	Extension for reply within second month	
117 920	217 460	Extension for reply within third month	
118 1,440	218 720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128 1,960	228 980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119 320	219 160	Notice of Appeal	
120 320	220 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141 1,280	241 640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142 1,280	242 640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 460	243 230	Design issue fee	
144 620	244 310	Plant issue fee	
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	123 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(g)	
126 180	126 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
501 40	181 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40.00
146 140	246 370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149 740	249 370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179 740	279 370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169 900	169 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

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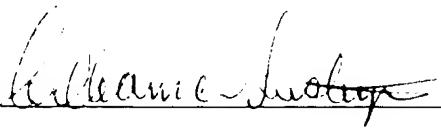
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- 3) Application consisting of
  - a) Specification (Pages 1-8)
  - b) Claims (Pages 9 & 10)
  - c) Abstract ( Page 11)
- 4) Preliminary Amendment (annexing marked-up copies of the amended claims)
- 5) Combination Declaration and Power of Attorney
- 6) Transmittal of Priority Document
- 7) German Priority Document No.100 64 160.1
- 8) Recordation Form Cover Sheet (in duplicate) and Assignment
- 9) Appendix citing Title, List of Inventors, Claim to Priority, and Certificate of Mailing

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## APPENDIX

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**TITLE:** ADHESIVE SHEET STRIP

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**CLAIM TO PRIORITY:**

Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119 on the basis of German Application Serial No. 100 64 160.1, filed on December 22, 2000.

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